

Notices to Consignees.

P. M. S. S. Co. "CHINA" FROM SAN FRANCISCO.
CONSIGNEES of cargo by the above-named vessel are requested to send in their Bills of Lading to the Undersigned for countersignature, and to take immediate delivery of their Goods.
Cargo impounding and stored at Consignees' risk and expense.

GEO. F. BOWMAN,
Agent.
Hongkong, October 6, 1868. 150c

THE following cases have been landed and stored at the risk and expense of the Consignees, who are requested to take immediate delivery.
Ex "Donna," 7th January, 1868.

RT 631. 1 Case Paper.
B. "Donna," 6th October.
J (in diamond) 52/76. 25 cases Arms.
M & C 209. 1 case Woollens.
P S 562/60. 8 cases Dye Stuffs.
C. BERTRAND,
Principal Agent.
Hongkong, October 6, 1868.

Notices of Firms.

THE interest and responsibility of Mr EDWARD FORD DUNSTON and Mr WILLIAM HENRY GIBB in our Firm ceased on 30th June, Mr HENRY LOWCOCK, Mr JAMES MUSGRAVE VICKERS and Mr ALEXANDER GEORGE WOOD, having been admitted as Partners therein on 1st July last.

GIBB, LIVINGSTON & Co.
Hongkong, October 1, 1868. oct1

NOTICE.
THE interest and responsibility of Mr WILLIAM NELSON in our Firm ceased on the 30th June last.

Mr THOMAS PIM, Mr WILLIAM NISBET OLMSHEAD and Mr H. SEYMOUR GEARY are authorized to sign our Firm in Hongkong and China from this date.

OLYMPIAN & Co.
Hongkong, October 6, 1868.

NOTICE.
WE have authorized Mr CLAUDE BUDDE to sign our Firm from this date.
DREYER & Co.
Hongkong, January 1, 1868.

NOTICE.
I HAVE established myself at this port as General Commission Merchant, under the Style and Firm of OFFORD F. PARKER & Co.
GIFFORD FORBES PARKER.
Saigon, December 20, 1867.

NOTICE.
I HAVE this day established myself as a PUBLIC ACCOUNTANT, AVERAGE ADJUSTER and GENERAL COMMISSION AGENT.
C. LANGDON DAVIES.
Hongkong, July 1, 1868.

NOTICE.
FROM and after this date Mr GEORGE F. BOWMAN will act as AGENT of the Pacific Mail Steam-ship Company at this Port.
S. L. PHELPS,
Agent.
Hongkong, August 15, 1867.

NOTICE.
MR RYLE HOLME has been admitted a partner in our Firm.
CLOVER & Co.
Nagasaki, January 1, 1867.

NOTICE.
MR J. MURRAY FORBES is authorized to sign our name at Canton from this date.
RUSSELL & Co.
China, February 15, 1868.

NOTICE.
MR HENRY LISTON DALEYMPLE is authorized to sign our Firm from this date.
BIRLEY & Co.
Hongkong, June 3, 1868.

For Sale.

FOR SALE.
ONE NEW BROUGHAM by BOOKER & SONS, London.
Apply to
THO. HUNT & Co.
Hongkong, September 20, 1868. 1f

PER "INVINCIBLE."
SELECT Assortment of Henderson's, Piesse and Lubin's, and Atkinson's New Perfumes—also Toilet Soaps, Sanspareil Tooth Brushes, Violet Powder and every requisite necessary for the Toilet, in great variety.

THE MEDICAL HALL.
37, Queen's Road.
Hongkong, September 23, 1868. 1f

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PHOTOGRAPHIC CHEMICALS.
THE MEDICAL HALL.
37, Queen's Road.
Hongkong, September 23, 1868. 1f

FOR SALE.
FREE-REED CHAMBER ORGAN.
Size—height, 8 ft. 4 inches, breadth, 4 ft. 6 inches, depth, 3 ft. 3 inches.
Two KEY BOARDS, compass C to C in alt 61 notes; Organ Kneel Swell, and Harmonium self-blowing pedals.

ON SWELL ORGAN.—8 feet Diapason, Dulciana 8 feet, Bassoon, and Oboe.
ON GREAT ORGAN.—8 feet open Diapason, Double Diapason, 10 feet Diapason and Principal.

Couplers.
Swell to Great. Octave coupler in Swell. The instrument is of great power and well adapted to a small Church or large Hall. The swell is particularly effective. Competent workmen would be provided to erect it in Hongkong.
For terms &c. address "Organ," care of China Mail Office.
Hongkong, September 8, 1868.

FOR SALE.
Butte superior MERRY.
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Hongkong, September 28, 1868. 1f

For Sale.

SAM-HING-STULTZ,
TAILOR.
HAS received direct from London Ex "INVINCIBLE."
TWEEDS for Gentlemen's Suits of the best quality, and newest Fashion, each piece sufficient for one suit only. A great variety of Patterns. Inspection solicited.
71, Queen's Road.
Next to P. & O. Office.
Hongkong, September 17, 1868. oct17

FOR SALE.
JUST received ex Princess of Wales.
WIRE ROPE, 1-3/4 inch.
HOLTROPE, 2-6.
HUBBARD'S Raw and Boiled PAINT OIL.
White ZINC.
" and Red LEAD.
" Green PAINT.
" Yellow PAINT.
" Black PAINT.
" Patent DRYERS.
Best Westphalian HAMS.
L. FRICKEL & Co.
Hongkong, September 22, 1868. oct22

FOR SALE.

AT THE "CHINA MAIL" OFFICE.
THE following SETS of the "CHINA MAIL" PAPER, at the rate of 25 cents per copy viz—

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YELLOW METAL 16 to 28 oz. and Nails. Apply to
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Hongkong, September 15, 1868. 1f

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Ex "COREA."
Small Invoice of very superior CHAM-PAGNE.
Apply to
HOWARD HODGES.
Hongkong, September 10, 1868. 1f

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ANDERSON'S Selection TOBACCO.
Amber MOUTHPIECES.
Cherrywood STEMS.
CIGAR HOLDERS.
Ex "Salce."
Superior Cavite CIGARS.
BIELEFELD & ZACHARLE.
Hongkong, August 4, 1868.

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Calcutta.

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WHOLESALE AND RETAIL DEPOT.
FOR THE SALE OF THEIR RENOWNED
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Namely,

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| Bengal Club Chutney | Per hhd. £26. |
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| Pickled Mangoes, 100 in barrel | 20s |
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| Tamarind Fish, 100 in barrel | 20s |
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| Smoked Mangoes, 100 in tin | 11s |
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| JAMS AND JELLIES. | |
| Guava Jelly | 2-lb. tins 1-lb. tins. |
| Preserved Limes | 30s. |
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Have always on hand a large Stock of superior MANILA CIGARS, of all sizes.
Terms: Remittance, or reference in Calcutta, to accompany order.
For orders over £25, 20 per cent discount will be allowed, all Goods free on board in Calcutta.

New Advertisements.

HONGKONG AND CHINA GAS CO., LIMITED.
TENDERS are invited for the Surplus TAR produced at the Works of the above for a period of 6 months, commencing from the 1st day of November next.
The quantity produced is about 2500 gall ns per month.
Tenders will be received until the 28th instant, by the Undersigned, from whom all further information may be obtained.
The right to reject the highest or any tender is reserved.
A. NEWTON,
Manager.
Gas Works,
Hongkong, October 7, 1868. oct28

STEAM TO
SWATOW, AMOY & FOOCOW.
THE P. & O. Co's Steam-Ship
"AZOR"
will leave for the above places, on Saturday, 10th October, at Noon.

W. MACAULAY,
Superintendent.
Hongkong, October 7, 1868. 100c

FOR SWATOW, AMOY, & FOOCOW.
The Steam-Ship
"YESSO"
Capt. AUSTON, will leave for the above ports on Saturday, the 10th instant, at Noon.

For Freight or Passage, apply to
DOUGLAS LAFRAIK & Co.
Hongkong, October 7, 1868. 100c

New Advertisements.

BOWRA & Co. will sell by Public Auction, on
FRIDAY,
at 11 o'clock A.M., under distraint for Rent under the Precept of the Summary Jurisdiction Court,
At the Residence of Messrs REYNOLDS, BROTHERS & Co., corner of Gage Street:
A quantity of Office and Household FURNITURE.
1 case Cigars.
1 large Iron Safe.
3 cases Perfumery.
Boat Sails, Oars, etc., etc.
TERMS OF SALE.—Cash before delivery in Mexican Dollars weighed at 7.17.
Hongkong, October 7, 1868. oct11

VICTORIA REGATTA CLUB.

Committee.
The Hon. Wm. Kewick, Chairman.
J. RICKYTT, Jnr., Esq.
RICHARD F. HAWKE, Esq.
A. W. GLENNE, Esq.
A. McLEOD, Esq., Hon. Secretary.

PROGRAMME of the 15th Annual Meeting, 1868.

FIRST DAY.

Tuesday, 10th November, 1868.

FIRST RACE, 1 P.M.—For Boats pulled by non-commissioned Officers and Men of any Regiment or Corps in Garrison. Distance, one mile. Prizes: first Boat, \$25; second, \$10. Time for Oars. Entrances fee, \$1. Officers can officiate as Coxswains if necessary.

SECOND RACE, 1.30 P.M.—For Single Pair Sculling Boats. Distance, one mile. Prize: the GOLD CHALLENGE SCULLS, to be won two years in succession by the same member, and a Cup valued \$25, presented by the Club. Entrance fee, \$5.

THIRD RACE, 2.30 P.M.—For Four oared Canton Outters. Distance, one mile and a-half. Prize: the CHANGMA's Cup, value \$200. Entrance fee, \$10.

FOURTH RACE, 3 P.M.—For Men-of-war's Gigs. Distance, one mile. Prizes: first Boat, \$20; second, \$5. Time for Oars. Entries received by R. F. HAWKE, Esq., until noon on Monday, the 9th November. Entrance fee, \$1.

FIFTH RACE, 3.50 P.M.—For Pair Oars and Two Pair Sculling Boats. Distance, one mile. Prize, the AMERICAN CUP, valued \$300, presented by the American Community. Entrance fee, \$5.

SIXTH RACE, 4 P.M.—For Canoes. Distance, from the shore to the Flag-ship, and once round. Prize: the Boxer's Cup, value \$50. Entrance fee, \$2.

SEVENTH RACE, 4.30 P.M.—For House Boats pulled by Chinamen. Distance, one mile. Prizes: first Boat \$15; second, \$5. Entrance fee, \$1.

SAILING RACE FOR ALL OPEN BOATS, Chinese excepted. Prizes: first Boat, \$25; second, \$10. Course to be specified hereafter. Entrance fee, \$2.

HARBOUR YACHT RACE.—For all Yachts. Entrance fee, \$5.00. Particulars of course, &c., to be named hereafter.

SECOND DAY.

Wednesday, 11th November, 1868.

FIRST RACE, 1 P.M.—For Men-of-war's Cutters. Distance, one mile. First Boat, \$25; second, \$10. Entrance fee, \$1. Entries received by R. F. HAWKE, Esq., until noon on Monday, the 9th November.

SECOND RACE, 1.30 P.M.—For Single Pair Sculling Boats. Distance, one mile. Prize: the Ladies of Hongkong. Entrance fee, \$5.

THIRD RACE, 2.30 P.M.—For Four-oared Canton Outters. Distance, one mile and a-half. Prize: the PERTHSHIRE REGATTA CUP, value \$150, presented by the Officers of H. M. 73rd (Perthshire Regiment). The Winners of the Chairman's Cup excluded. Entrance fee, \$5.

FOURTH RACE, 3 P.M.—For all Boats manned by Europeans. Distance, one mile. Prizes: first Boat, \$25; second, \$10. Time for Oars. Entries received by the Secretary until noon on Monday, the 9th November. Entrance fee, \$1.

FIFTH RACE, 3.30 P.M.—For Pair Oars and Two Pair Sculling Boats. Distance, one mile. Prize, the BOWEN CUP, value \$100, presented by C. D. Kew, Esq. Winners of any Single Pair Sculling Race in China or elsewhere excluded. Entrance fee, \$5.

SIXTH RACE, 4.30 P.M.—For Single Pair Sculling Boats. Distance, one mile. Prize, the KWONG-LOONG CUP, valued \$100, presented by C. D. Kew, Esq. Winners of any Single Pair Sculling Race in China or elsewhere excluded. Entrance fee, \$5.

SEVENTH RACE, 4.30 P.M.—For Four-oared Canton Outters. Distance, one mile. Prize, the JAMES CUP, value \$150, presented by a Subscriber. Entrance fee, \$10.

Sailing Race for Schooners and Cutters. For particulars of Prize, Course, &c., will be daily announced.

The above Programme is subject to any future alterations the Committee may find it necessary to make.
Weights, colors, and names of each Crew for Presentation Prizes for Rowing must be stated on entering Boats.
All entries (not otherwise specified) must be made to the Hon. Secretary, on or before the 9th October, 1868.
The Races will commence each day at 1 P.M., and will take place on board the Flag Ship each day after the Second race.
A. McLEOD,
Hon. Secretary,
Victoria Regatta Club.
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New Advertisements.

FOR SALE.
CALIFORNIA POTATOES.
California BUTTER.
California CHEESE.
THOS. HUNT & Co.
Hongkong, October 7, 1868. 140c

HONGKONG HOTEL.

NOTICE.
ON and after October 1st, the charge for Board to either resident or non-resident Boarders will be \$50 per month. By order of the Board of Directors,
C. LANGDON DAVIES,
Secretary.
Hongkong, September 30, 1868. 1f

NOTICE.
NOW Publishing, a series of Photographic Views of Hongkong, Canton and Macao, Characteristic Groups etc., etc., by the Undersigned; about 150 Photographs to select from.
In sets of 50 mounted, price, \$30.
" 25 " 25 " 25.
" 60 unmounted, " 25.
" 25 " 25 " 15.
FLOYD & Co.
Hongkong, September 21, 1868.

GOVERNMENT NOTIFICATION.

No. 109.
NOTICE is hereby given that on and after Monday, the 21st day of September, it has been ordered by the Governor in Council, under Section 18 of Ordinance No. 9 of 1867, that no European, American, Portuguese, Foreigner, or Malay, of any race, Chinese, Indian, or Malay, shall be admitted into any of the Licensed Play Houses in Hongkong.
By Command,
J. GARDINER AUSTIN,
Colonial Secretary's Office,
Hongkong, September 14, 1868. oct14

W. SALWAY,

ARCHITECT, SURVEYOR, &c.,
10, Queen's Road Central,
(Over Messrs MILLER & CHAPMAN'S.)

YANGTZE INSURANCE ASSOCIATION OF SHANGHAI.
A DIVIDEND of (8 per cent.) Eight per cent. has been declared on the net Premium contributed to the above Association for the Year ending 30th September, 1867.

Policy holders will please send in particulars of their contribution to that date to the Undersigned.
RUSSELL & Co.
Hongkong, September 8, 1868. 1f

NOTICE.

MR J. THOMSON begs to intimate that he is now publishing a Series of 40 Views of Hongkong, price \$25—
10 Views from Plates, 14 by 12
26 do. do. 10 by 8
4 Small instantaneous Subjects from the DRAGON PROCESSION.
Hongkong, September 4, 1868. 1f

NOTICE.

THE Office of the WANCHI STEAM BAKERY is REMOVED to the Store of Messrs MACLEOD & Co., where all orders addressed "WANCHI STEAM BAKERY" will receive prompt attention. Fancy BISCUITS and CAKE constantly on hand.
P. WARD,
Proprietor.
Hongkong, September 3, 1868. de3

HONGKONG AND WHAMPOA DOCK COMPANY, LIMITED.

SHAREHOLDERS are requested to take notice that the seventh call of Fifty Dollars on the new Stock of the above named Company is due on the 1st December next and will be payable at the office of the HONGKONG AND SHANGHAI BANKING CORPORATION, where receipts for the payment thereof will be granted by the Manager.
Interest at the rate of Twelve per centum per annum will be charged after the above date.
By order of the Board of Directors,
GEORGE N. MINTO,
Secretary.
Hongkong, September 2, 1868. del

NOTICE.

THE Undersigned returns thanks for past favors and would remind the Gentlemen at Hongkong, that the most agreeable hotel in the Hongkong Hotel Hair Dressing SALOON. Constant moving punkah and shower of fragrant odour, which render the body cool and comfortable.
Hair Cutting, ... \$0.75.
Shampooing, ... 0.50.
Shaving, ... 0.25.
Hair cutting and Shampooing, 1.00.
W. F. MOORE,
Tumacal Artist.
Hongkong, August 29, 1868. oct29

HONGKONG HOTEL COMPANY, LIMITED.

NOTICE is hereby given, that, on and after the 1st of September, the prices charged in the Hotel will be as under:—
Single Breakfast, ... \$1.00.
" Dinner, ... 1.50.
For Resident Boarders (in addition to the Amount charged for Lodging) \$50 per month.
Non-Resident Boarders, \$50 per month. Arrangements have been made to secure the services of a First Class French Cook.
By order of the Board of Directors,
J. F. ROSE,
Secretary.
Hongkong, August 20, 1868. 1f

HONGKONG AND SHANGHAI BANKING CORPORATION.

NOTICE TO SHAREHOLDERS.
THE DIVIDEND declared for the half-year ended 30th June last, at the rate of Twelve per cent per annum, say \$7.50 per Share of \$125, and \$1.50 per Share on which \$25 have been paid, is payable at the Office of the Corporation, where Shareholders are requested to apply for Warrants.
By order of the Court of Directors,
VICTOR KRESSER,
Chief Manager.
Hongkong, August 15, 1868.

New Advertisements.

HOTEL D'EUROPE.
THE Undersigned, Proprietor of the newly re-opened HOTEL D'EUROPE, begs to inform the Public that they will find every accommodation at the above Hotel at the most reasonable charges.
Breakfast every morning at 11.30 A.M., and Dinner at 7.30 P.M.

BREAKFASTS and DINNERS supplied at Private Residences on reasonable terms. ICE, &c., always on hand.
CHAS. FANNAGE,
Hongkong, August 6, 1868. 500y

PORT OF AMOY.

NOTICE TO MARINERS.
THE BUOYS marking the Dangers in the Harbour of Amoy have been painted according to the Rule in use by the British Admiralty and Trinity Board, viz: to mark the Starboard side of Channels entering by Black or Red Buoys only. The Port side of Channels entering by Black or Red Buoys Chained or vertically striped with White, and Middle Grounds by horizontally striped Buoys.

KELLET SPIT.—North end formerly marked by a striped Buoy, is now marked by a Red Buoy.
COKER ROCKS.—formerly marked by a Red Buoy are now marked by a vertically striped Red and White Buoy. This Buoy has been placed about 20 fathoms to the E. S. E. of the shoalest patch, in order to guard Vessels against Ledges of Rock, with 15 feet water, found to exist in that direction, and it may be passed close to the Port Hand when entering the Harbour. The shoalest patch or pinnacle of the Coker Rocks, has a floating Beacon on it until further notice.

NEW ROCK.—in North part of Harbour, and Brown's Rock, are marked by horizontally striped Buoys.
In case any of these Buoys are lost or moved, the position will be as soon as possible be marked by a Flag boat of floating Beacon.

JAMES JONES,
Clerk in Charge.
Office of Marine Customs,
Amoy, August 13, 1868.

LATEST SHIPPING.

ARRIVALS.
Oct. 7, Malacca, British steamer, 1200, J. W. MacNamara, Bombay, Galle, Penang and Singapore, Sept. 18, 23, 28 and Oct. 1, Mails and Opium &c.—P. & O. Co.
Oct. 7, Veritas, Brit. ship, 632, Ingram, Liverpool, May, 28, 700 tons Co. L.—P. & O. Co.

DEPARTURES.
Oct. 2, C. Jurgensen, for Hongkong.
5, Cornelia, for Hongkong.

POST-OFFICE NOTIFICATIONS.
MAILS WILL CLOSE:—
The Mail for Yokohama per *Columbine*, will close at 11 A.M. on Saturday, the 8th instant, instead of at the time previously notified.
For SAN FRANCISCO.—
Per "POWHATTAN," on Friday, the 9th instant, at 4 P.M.
For MELBOURNE & SYDNEY.—
Per "ONWARD," on Saturday, the 10th instant, at 11 A.M.
For SWATOW, AMOY & FOOCOW.—
Per "AZOR," on Saturday, the 10th instant, at 11 A.M.
For MANILA.—
Per Ship "WILLIAM WILSON" at 1 P.M. on Monday, the 8th inst.
For SWATOW, AMOY, & FOOCOW.—
Per Str. "YESSO," on Saturday, the 10th instant, at 11 A.M.
For YOKOHAMA, SAN FRANCISCO, & the U. S. of AMERICA generally.—
Per the P. M. S. S. Co's Steam-ship "CHINA," at 2 o'clock P.M., on Thursday, the 15th instant.
All correspondence intended to be forwarded by this opportunity must be superscribed per "CHINA." The postage must be prepaid as follows:

FOR A LETTER.
Under 1 ounce, ... 8 cents.
Above 1 ounce and not exceeding 1 ounce, ... 16 "
Above 1 ounce and not exceeding 1 ounce, ... 32 "
Above 1 ounce and not exceeding 2 ounces, ... 24 "
For every additional 1 ounce, ... 8 "
Newspapers or Prices Current, 2 cents each.

Under the convention recently concluded, correspondence forwarded as above will be delivered free at the places of its destination.
F. W. MITCHELL,
Postmaster General.
General Post Office,
Hongkong, October 7, 1868. 150c

UNDER DESPATCH.

For Yokohama.—Per *Columbine*, at noon, to-morrow, the 8th instant.
For San Francisco.—Per *Powhattan*, on Friday, the 9th instant.
For Melbourne and Sydney.—Per *Onward*, on Saturday, the 10th inst.
For Swatow, Amoy and Foochow.—Per *Azor*, on Saturday, the 10th inst., at noon.
For Manila.—Per *William Wilson*, to-morrow, the 8th inst.
For Swatow, Amoy and Foochow.—Per *Azor*, on Saturday, the 10th inst., at noon.

QUOTATIONS.

HONGKONG, 7th October, 1868.
OPIUM.—Patna, New, ... \$635.
Benares, New, ... 627 1/2 a 630.
Malwa, ... 650 a 660.
COTTON.—Bombay, ... 17 a 22.
CALCUTTA, ... 16 1/2 a 20.

Exchange.
Bank, 6 months' sight, ... 4/6.
Credita, 6 ... 4/6 a 4/8.
On Calcutta, 3 days' sight, Rs. 225 1/2 a 226.
" Bombay, 3 days' sight, Rs. 225 1/2 a 226.
" Shanghai, 3 days' sight, Bank, 1/16 7/4.
Bar Silver, 17 dwts. B., ... 8 1/2 none.
Sycee, ... 8 1/2.
Mexicans, ... 23.40 a 24.
Gold Leaf, ... 22.
Gold Bar, 98 touch, ... 4.66.
English Sovereigns, ... 4.33.
Australian Sovereigns, ... 9 a 12.
Discount, ... 22 per cent.
H. & S. Bank Shares, Old, ... 3 1/2 p. c. pm.
Do. do. New, ... 20 p. c. dia.
Union Dock, ... 20 p. c. dia.

Temperature.

HONGKONG, 7th October, 1868.
Barometer, ... 30.010 29.926.
Attached Thermometer, ... 84.
Dry Bulb, ... 84.0 88.0.
Wet Bulb, ... 75.0 77.0.
Maximum S. Rgr., ... 90.0.
Minimum S. Rgr., ... 74.0.
Max. Sun's Rays, ... 136.
Minimum on Grass, ... 70.0.
Previous Rainfall Group, ... 0.00.
24 hours () above, ... 0.00.
Wind, ... N.E. N.E.
Force, ... 3 3.
Cloud, ... 4 3.
Ozone, ... 4 3.
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For further particulars, apply
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for storing dry Goods ;
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J. F. ROSE,
Hongkong Hotel Co
Hongkong, August 12, 18

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Queen's Road. Apply to
MR. BA
Wynd
Hongkong, May 13, 1868

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THE Undersigned will un
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ROB. S. WA
Hongkong, March 4, 186

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Messrs ELMENHORST & SA
For particulars, apply to
THUR. LIVING

GIBB, LIVING
Hongkong, March 6, 1883

TO LET.
4. COMMODIOUS HOUSE
at Morrison Hill, commanding
view of the Harbour, with
Apply to THOMAS
East Fort
Hongkong, June 6, 1883

NOTICE.

T O L E

THE desirable PREMISES
Road, lately in the oc
Asiatic Bank.

For particulars, apply to
SMITH, AR
Hongkong, May 18, 1868

FIRST RATE ROOMS for
Landing HOUSE for Foreign

Apply to
Messrs Wm. SCH
Gunma
Hongkong, May 20, 1868

TO LET.
THE BUSINESS PREMISES
occupied by Messrs
BERG & Co., consisting of 1
OR.

Apply to **JOHN**
Hongkong, February 22,

TO LET.
FOUR Large ROOMS or
above the Offices of the
44, Queen's Road, at present
Messrs C. HOOK & Co. - For
taken on the 1st of January

For Terms, &c., apply to
G. DU
Hongkong, November 6.

For Sale.

THE CHINA SUGAR
RY, EAST POINT.
FINEST Crystals, equal if
to the English Loaf, Peng-
6.
N. SYRUP, double refined,
suit purchasers.

WAHKE & Co.
18, Queen's Road,
August 18, 1868.

NOTICE.

FF! SELLING OFF!!

being about to leave
begs to notify that the
stock of
CLOCKS, JEWELLERY,
AND
GOLD GOODS,
and Continental makers,
from this date at
REDUCED PRICES.
C. HOCHSTETTER.
July 21, 1868.

FOR SALE.

of Superior Old PORT
Cy. Sandeman, Oporto.
DEIRA
PAGE, COGNAC.
for Hongkong Wines.
W. W. PUSTAU & Co.
August 6, 1867.

FOR SALE.

of Co. CHAMPAGNE,
H. HOCK & MOSLELE,
of SHERRY and PORT,
IN WHISKY.
of BRANDY.
of draught and bottle,
UNIVERS STOUT,
of PORTER.
S. WALKER & Co.
November 20, 1867.

FF! SELLING OFF!!

LING OFF!!

SACRIFICES!!

D BARGAINS!!

of CLAUSSEN
that they are selling
of the undermentioned
of prices, consisting of—
of FROCK and Walking
COATS.
of Walking, Shooting
SAC COATS.
of YACHT JACKETS
of COATS.
of Merino COATS.
of Dress TROUSERS.
of Linen TROUSERS.
of Dress VESTS.
of Alpaca VESTS.
of Alpaca VESTS.
of Linen VESTS.
of Linen VESTS.

PRICE GOODS, compr-

of Broad CLOTHS and
of SKINS, ANGOLAS,
of FLANNELS, of
of Pattern.
of assortment of HOSIERY
of SHIRTS of—
of Linen FRONTS, &c.
of Wool SHIRTS.
of Cotton and Flanne
of and UNDER VESTS.
of Cotton and Lambwool
of ALP HOSE.
of COTTON HOSE.
of Driving GLOVES.
of SCARFS, TIES, Cholo
of and HANDKERCHIEFS.
of Shell and Felt HATS,
of newest Shapes.
of SHOOTS and SHOES.
of Walking STICKS, Clo
of of BRUSHES, Clo
of of FANCY SOAPS,
of variety of other GOODS.
of and CLAUSSEN,
of Queen's Road,
of February 5, 1868.

FOR SALE.

PROPERTY on Queen's
Road, occupied by Messrs
& Co.
For particulars, apply to
SMITH, ARCHER & Co.
September 2, 1867.

FOR SALE.

METAL, 20/28 oz. and
of HOLLIDAY, WISE & Co.
of June 14, 1867.

RANDY in 1 doz. cases.

BERRY " 3
PORT " 2
LARET " 1
" 1
of BIRLEY & Co.
of April 9, 1867.

FOR SALE.

of St. Pierre, 1862.
of CAMPAGNE, H. PIPER &
of WINE, in boxes of 1 doz.
of RAYNAL & Co.
of October 1, 1866.

of PERFORMES.

of Boots.
of Reduced Prices, by
of JULES BUZIERE,
of Dressing Room, Up-stairs,
of September 4, 1867.

FOR SALE.

of JOHN BURD & Co.
of April 5, 1867.

FOR SALE.

of HIG APPARATUS, cont-
of ULLER & CLAUSSEN,
of January 13, 1868.
of abled by CHARLES ABRAHAM
of at No. 2, Wyndham
of Hongkong

Houses and Lands.

TO LET.
A CONVENIENTLY situated HOUSE
in Chancery Lane. Rent moderate.
Apply to
ARNHOLD KARBBERG & Co.
Hongkong, October 5, 1868.

WANTED.

TENANT for a term of years for the
House No. 1 in Lane Road, now in
course of erection. The House most con-
veniently situated and affording an excel-
lent view of the harbour, will contain Draw-
ing and Dining Rooms, Library, five Bed-
Rooms with Bath Rooms attached, Stab-
bling, all necessary Room for servants, and
will be completely fitted with Gas and
Water.
A plan of the House may be seen and
particulars obtained at the Office of
ARNHOLD KARBBERG & Co.
Hongkong, October 5, 1868.

TO LET.

THREE Houses on Pedder's Hill, each
containing Four Rooms with Bath
rooms attached. Water and Gas laid.
For particulars, apply to
H. PESTONJEE SETNA,
At Messrs P. & A. C. CAMARER & Co.'s Office,
Queen's Road.
Hongkong, October 1, 1868.

TO LET.

FROM the 1st proximo that handsome
and eligible House in Mosque Terrace,
presently occupied by J. S. LAPRAIK, Esq.,
and formerly by Dr. KANE.
Apply to
J. GERRARD.
Hongkong, September 21, 1868.

THE very desirable semi-detached House

No. 2, Grosvenor Villas, Cause
Road, quite newly built and fitted with
every convenience.
Water, Gas and Bells laid throughout.
Has roomy Stables and Coach-house at-
tached.
For further particulars, apply to
DOUGLAS LAPRAIK & Co.
Hongkong, September 14, 1868.

TO BE LET.

THE House No. 10, Shelley Street. Gas
and Water laid on. Rent \$40 per
month.
Apply to
THOS. HOWARD.
Hongkong, September 12, 1868.

TO BE LET.

THE DESIRABLE STORE with SHOR
FRONT adjoining the Hongkong
DISPENSARY.
Enquire of A. S. WATSON & Co.
Hongkong, September 3, 1868.

TO BE LET.

In one or two Suits, suitable for Offices or
Residence.
THE entire UPPER FLOOR of the
HONGKONG DISPENSARY.
Hongkong, September 3, 1868.

TO LET.

THREE Spacious GODOWNS suitable
for storing dry Goods; also a Fireproof
GODOWN capable of containing 1,000
casks of Opium. Situated in the most cen-
tral part of Queen's Road. Apply to
J. F. ROSE, Secretary,
Hongkong Fire Insurance Company, Limited.
Hongkong, August 12, 1868.

TWO HOUSES TO BE LET

Recently put in thorough repair, sit-
uated on the Rise of THE HILL,
Westward, and an easy distance from the
Queen's Road. Apply to
MR. BARRINGTON.
Wyndham Street.
Hongkong, May 13, 1868.

LIGHTERAGE AND STORAGE.

THE Undersigned will undertake to land
Cotton, Rice, Coals, and other Mer-
chandise, in their own Boats, and to receive
the same on STOLCHER in First-class Gran-
ite godowns, on Moderate Terms.
ROB. S. WALKER & Co.
Hongkong, March 4, 1866.

TO LET.

THE OFFICE and GODOWN situated at
the corner of Wellington and Aberdeen
Streets, and at present in the occupation of
Messrs. ELMENROST & SANDERS.
For particulars, apply to
GIBB, LIVINGSTON & Co.
Hongkong, March 6, 1866.

TO LET.

COMMODIOUS HOUSES, situated in
Morrison Hill, commanding a thorough
view of the Harbour, with Stables, &c.
Apply to
THOMAS WALLACE,
East Point Godowns.
Hongkong, June 6, 1868.

NOTICE.

TO LET.
THE desirable PREMISES on the Queen's
Road, lately in the occupation of the
Asiatic Bank.
For particulars, apply to
SMITH, ARCHER & Co.
Hongkong, May 13, 1868.

FIRST RATE ROOMS for Offices or Dwell-

ing HOUSE for Families in the Queen's
Road, No. 92, with new Verandah. The
whole in a thorough state of repair.
Apply to
Messrs Wm. SCHMIDT & Co.,
Gunmakers.
Hongkong, May 20, 1868.

TO LET.

THE BUSINESS PREMISES, formerly
occupied by Messrs. ARNOLD, KAR-
BERG & Co., consisting of Dwelling House,
Office, and spacious Godown.
Possession to be had on the 1st March.
Apply to
JOHN BURD & Co.
Hongkong, February 22, 1868.

TO LET.

FOUR Large ROOMS on Second Floor
above the Offices of the Undersigned,
44, Queen's Road, at present occupied by
Messrs. C. Hock & Co. Possession can be
taken on the 1st of January, 1868.
For Terms, &c., apply to
G. DUBOST & Co.
Hongkong, November 6, 1867.

Houses and Lands.

FOR STORAGE OR TO LET.
ONE Large Dry Godown, situated on the
Praya, next to Messrs Wm. PUSTAU
& Co.'s.
Apply to
L. FRIKEL & Co.
Hongkong, August 28, 1868.

TO LET.

THE whole of the upper part of the house
on Pedder's Wharf, at present occu-
pied by the Undersigned.
Possession on the 15th Proximo.
THOS. HUNT & Co.
Hongkong, August 26, 1868.

TO LET.

HOUSE in Spring Gardens, containing
four Rooms and Out Houses; Rent
\$28 per month.
Apply at the Victoria Foundry.
Hongkong, March 12, 1868.

TO BE LET.

TWO New and Strong GODOWNS on
Marine Lot No. 63.
Apply to
GAVIN THOMPSON,
at GIBB, LIVINGSTON & Co.'s,
Hongkong, December 16, 1867.

STORAGE FOR OPIUM.

THE Undersigned is prepared to STORE
Opium in a first-class Granite Godown
on premises situated on Praya Central.
CHARLES RIVINGTON,
3, Stanley Street.
Hongkong, June 9, 1868.

Docks.

FOOCHOW GRANITE FLOORED

DOCK.
HE above Dock has been in full working
order for the last four years. Length
300 feet, width at bottom 40 feet, depth of
water on the sill, springs, average 17 feet,
nearly 14 feet. The Dock in ordinary Tides
runs dry to the Blocks and is pumped out
by Steam.
For further particulars as to the price of
coopering, &c., &c., apply to
T. D. TILLINGHAST, Esq., Messrs De Sil-
ver & Co., Hongkong; Messrs Boyd & Co.,
Shanghai; or to the Undersigned.

In connection with the above is the
powerful Twin Screw Tug "WOOSUNG."
Vessels requiring the services of this Tug
either from Matsun (where a splendid an-
chorage will be found during the S. W.
monsoon) or from the White Dogs, can ob-
tain them at moderate rates, on application to
JOHN C. SKEY,
Manager.
Pagoda Anchorage, River Min.

THE UNION DOCK COMPANY OF

HONGKONG & WHAMPOA, LIMITED.
THE Company respectfully beg to call the
attention of Ship Owners, Consignees
and Masters of Vessels to their establish-
ment at Whampoa and Hongkong, which
offer every facility for the docking and re-
pairs of Vessels of all classes.
Their Docks at Whampoa are in good
working order and are pumped out by
Steam, and the workshops comprise the
different departments of Shipwright, Black-
smith, Boiler-maker, and Machine works.
Materials supplied of the best kind and on
the most reasonable terms. A jetty with a
pair of powerful lifting shears, alongside of
which masts and boilers can be taken out
of Vessels.
Their Hongkong establishment comprises
also the different departments of Ship-
wright, Blacksmith, Boiler-maker and Ma-
chine works and possesses a pair of lifting
shears.
Their Granite Dock at Kowloon most ad-
vantageously situated, solidly built, and of
full dimensions to admit the docking of any
Vessel coming to this harbour, will be com-
pleted in a very short time.
The Steam Tug "LITTLE ORPHAN"
is always in readiness to tow Vessels to
Dock, free of charge, and to sea; or new
berth, at reduced rates.
All works carried on under the superin-
tendence of experienced European foremen.
For particulars, apply at the office of the
Company, Queen's Road.

JOHN INGLIS,

Acting Secretary.

N.B.—Consignees or Masters of Vessels

having cause to complain of the works done
at the Docks or at Hongkong, will please ad-
dress their complaints to the Office of the
Company, which will receive the immediate at-
tention of the Directors.
Hongkong, July 14, 1868.

Steam Tug.

NOTICE.

THE STEAM TUG ISLAND QUEEN,
130 H. P. Nominal, will commence to
ply on the River Min and adjacent waters
early in the spring, and will then be avail-
able to berth ships at the anchorage, and to
tow, and from, sea at usual rates.
For further information, apply to Messrs
E. H. How & Co., Foochow, or to the Undersigned.
DOUGLAS LAPRAIK & Co.,
Agents.
Hongkong, February 10, 1868.

Insurances.

OCEAN MARINE INSURANCE

COMPANY.
Incorporated 1850.
CAPITAL, £1,000,000.
THE Undersigned having been appointed
Agents for the above Company are pre-
pared to accept Marine risks and issue
Policies at current rates.
AUGUSTINE HEARD & Co.
Hongkong, June 6, 1867.

ALBERT LIFE ASSURANCE

COMPANY.
ESTABLISHED 1838.
CAPITAL, £500,000.
Managing Agents in China, — Messrs.
AUGUSTINE HEARD & Co., Hongkong,
Medical Referee, — J. IVOR MURRAY,
Esq., M.D.
THE Undersigned having been appointed
Managing Agents for the above Com-
pany are prepared to accept risks and issue
Policies on Life Assurances.
For further particulars, forms of propo-
sals, &c., apply to
AUGUSTINE HEARD & Co.
Managing Agents in China.
Hongkong, June, 1867.

NORTH BRITISH AND MERCANTILE

INSURANCE COMPANY.
FROM and after this date the following
Rates will be charged in Short Period
Insurances, viz:—
Not exceeding one month, 1/2 of the annual rate.
Above 1 month, and not exceeding three months, 2/3 " " "
Above 3 months, and not exceeding six months, 3/4 " " "
Above 6 months, and not exceeding nine months, 4/5 " " "
Above 9 months, and not exceeding twelve months, 5/6 " " "
The full Annual Rate.
GILMAN & Co.,
Agents, North British and Mercantile Insurance Company.
Hongkong, April 7, 1868.

NOTICE.

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The full Annual Rate.
JARDINE, MATHESON & Co.,
General Managers,
Hongkong Fire Insurance Company.
Hongkong, April 7, 1868.

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Insurances.

LONDON AND PROVINCIAL MARINE

INSURANCE COMPANY.
THE Undersigned having been appointed
Agents in Hongkong for the above
Company, are prepared to grant Marine
Risks at current rates.
AUGUSTINE HEARD & Co.
Hongkong, March 6, 1868.

JAVIA SEA AND FIRE INSURANCE

COMPANY.
THE Undersigned having been appointed
Agents at Hongkong and Canton for
the above Company are prepared to grant
Policies against Sea Risks at current rates.
ARNHOLD KARBBERG & Co.
Hongkong, July 27, 1868.

LANCASHIRE INSURANCE

COMPANY.
(FIRE AND LIFE).
CAPITAL—TWO MILLIONS STERLING.
THE Undersigned are prepared to grant
POLICIES against the Risk of FIRE on
Buildings or on Goods stored therein, on
Coals in Matched, on Goods on board
Vessels and on Hulls of Vessels in Har-
bour, at the usual Terms and Conditions.
Proposals for Life Assurances will be re-
ceived, and transmitted to the Directors
for their decision.
If required, protection will be granted on
first class Lives up to £1000 on a Single
Life.
For Rates of Premiums, forms of propo-
sals or any other information apply to
ARNHOLD KARBBERG & Co.,
Agents Hongkong & Canton.
Hongkong, January 4, 1867.

LANCASHIRE INSURANCE

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Hongkong, January 4, 1867.

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ARNHOLD KARBBERG & Co.,
Agents, Lancashire Insurance Company.
Hongkong, April 14, 1868.

NORTH CHINA INSURANCE CO.

THE Undersigned, having been appointed
Agents for the above Company, at the
Ports of Tientsin and Keelung, are pre-
pared to Grant Policies of Marine Insur-
ances at current rates.
DODD & Co.
Tientsin, 10th August, 1868.

IMPERIAL FIRE INSURANCE

COMPANY.
THE Undersigned having been appointed
Agents for the above Company at this
Port, are prepared to grant Policies against
Fire to the extent of £80,000 on Buildings,
or on Goods stored therein.
GIBB, LIVINGSTON & Co.
Hongkong, August 24, 1864.

NOTICE.

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